

# OCEAN CITY IS SET FOR GALA PAGEANT

**Bayside Section Residents Are Busily Engaged Decorating Floats for Event Tomorrow**

**CAPTAIN KIDD TO LAND AGAIN**

By a Staff Correspondent  
Ocean City, Sept. 1.—All Ocean City is preparing for its gala pageant which will take place tomorrow. Residents of the Bayside section are decorating floats, houses and automobiles for the event, which will start at noon and continue until sundown. The pageant is the outcome of efforts of the Bayside Civic Association, an organization composed entirely of women, who in 1912 gave Ocean City a somewhat similar demonstration in their "Night in Venice."  
One of the features will be the re-enactment of Captain Kidd's landing on a small island at the northern end of the harbor. The participants, who have rehearsed their parts from a scenario based on the legend of the old pirate, will give the residents of Ocean City an idea of how the buccaners hid their gold.  
Captain Kidd, according to the old tale, along the waterfront of Great Egg Harbor Bay, was driven into the bay some hundred years ago. Charts, they say, have been discovered which disclosed the hiding places of his stowed treasures. Actual effects, it is said, have been made to recover some of the Spanish gold, and many islands in that section have been the scene of exciting treasure-hunts. The play is based on the stories told by the present-day voyagers.

Miss Elizabeth Murphy Queen  
Miss Elizabeth Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Murphy, 1025 North Sixth street, Overbrook, was chosen queen of the carnival. Miss Murphy, who is a prominent swimmer, has also been asked to appear as "Miss Ocean City" at Atlantic City's "Beauty Congress," to be held September 6, 7 and 8. The queen is a senior at Friends' Central High School.

With her full court, Miss Murphy, seated on the throne of a beautifully decorated float, will review 100 barges representing various phases of history. As the floats pass before the judges' airplanes will swoop down and drop confetti bombs over the heads of the spectators.

The houses along the water front are already trimmed with American flags, garlands of flowers and bunting. Special prizes will be awarded to the residents of the best decorated homes. The Red, White and Blue Band of Vineland will occupy a float directly behind the queen, and they will be drawn beside the judges' stand while the pageant passes in review.

Miss Margaret Taylor, 1907 Master street, member of the Philadelphia Turngemeinde and holder of the Junior national championship for the plunger, will be one of the participants in the aquatic sports. Miss Taylor, the winner of many medals, finished second in the 100-yard and 220-yard indoor and 100-yard outdoor Middle Atlantic States championship races. Miss Taylor is a blonde, with large blue eyes. She is only sixteen years old.

Under the auspices of the Amateur Athletic Union there will be various fancy diving contests, a 100-yard dash, a men's fancy diving contest and 100-yard dash; a boys' 100-yard dash for members of the Germantown Swimming Club exclusively; and a girls' fifty-yard scratch race for the girls of Ocean City.

Seventy Entries in Swimming Events  
In the swimming events there will be more than seventy entries. Among the more prominent will be the Atlantic Swimming Club and Hyacinth Club, both of Atlantic City; Philadelphia Turngemeinde, Media Swimming Club, Wilmington Y. M. C. A. and the Philadelphia Swimming Club.

It is expected that some of the foremost swimmers on the Atlantic Coast will compete.  
Miss Mildred E. Kellerman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kellerman, Philadelphia, will represent "Miss America" during the carnival. She will have on her dress the same design as one of the United States Coast Guard cutters.

Besides the swimming events there will be a canoe racing contest and a demonstration of various strokes in swimming. An exhibition of life-saving by the Ocean City Beach Patrol, under Captain Jack Joyce, will give the spectators an idea of the most modern methods.

George B. Kistler, swimming instructor at the University of Pennsylvania; John H. Stevens, swimming instructor at the Germantown Boys' Club, and Mrs. Clara Robertson, girls' swimming instructor of the same organization, will act as judges in the aquatic sports.

Henry Stelwagon, prominent member of the Ocean City Fishing Club, will be marshal of the parade and harbor water.

Another feature of the carnival will be a display of daylight fireworks. The day's program will be concluded by a pleasure trip about the northern end of the bay in one of the large pleasure sailing vessels.

Members of the Bayside Civic Association who will have charge of the entire affair are Mrs. C. W. Wilson, president; Mrs. John Dunmore, vice president; Mrs. E. C. Carpenter, treasurer, and Mrs. Schall, recording secretary.

The executive committee is composed of Mrs. Edward Garrigues, Mrs. James Booth and Mrs. J. M. Wilbur, on the publicity committee are Mrs. Henry Kellerman and Mrs. L. E. Winger.

**After-Dinner Tricks**  
The trick is accomplished with the aid of a tiny bit of wax or chewing gum, which is previously affixed to the end of one of the hairs, just above his forehead. In turning back his hair, the performer affixes the bit of gum to one side of the coin. With a little practice the coin can then be balanced by the pull of the hair, as shown in the illustration.

No. 255—Coin Balanced on Forehead  
A coin is borrowed, and the performer, leaning his head back, places it upright upon his forehead. The coin stands there, perfectly balanced on its edge.

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# PARENTS DON'T WANT CHANGE IN HIGH SCHOOL

**Protest Against Stetson Proposed Classification as Junior School**

Parents in the northern section of the city met in the Providence Methodist Episcopal Church, at Front street and Allegheny avenue, last night to protest against the changing of the Stetson School, at B street and Allegheny avenue, to a junior high school.  
In accordance with the school advancement program, the Board of Education enlarged the Stetson to make it a junior high and built an auditorium. As a result children of the lower grades will be sent to the Porter, Cramp and Sheppard Schools.

Protests of the parents were then received by the Board of Education and a special committee appeared in a meeting of the Elementary Schools Committee to argue against the change. The parents said the smaller children would have to walk too far and to cross many streets to reach the other schools.

The meeting last night, which was attended by more than 1000 persons, was to continue the protest. A committee of twelve, headed by George Kendrick, was appointed to call on the Board of Education. The speakers included George M. Tomlinson and the Rev. Charles Y. Ehrlich.

**PLAY AT KEARNEY SCHOOL**  
More than 1200 children living in the neighborhood of Sixth street and Fairmount avenue gathered in the yard of the Kearney Public School for an evening's entertainment given by the Kearney Community Center.

Thelma Lieber, Jennie Boran and Fanny Gesterok, dressed in patriotic costumes, presented a patriotic play which had made themselves. There was also a special song by ten flower girls—Bella, Hervevante, Jennie, Hovrenka, Fanny Gesterok, Pauline Gleason, Lanny Verb, Thelma Stodman, Marian Stein, Clair Shlosky and Pauline Weiss.

The affair was in recognition of the closing of the playground for the summer. It was expected that the Mayor would speak, but the storm delayed him. There was singing by all the children and moving pictures.

# PAPERS ON SUICIDE SHOW HOME DRAMA

**Letters Found on Body of Chicago Man Reveal Devotion of Wife for Cult**

**LOVE FOR HUSBAND SHOWN**  
Chicago, Sept. 1.—The tragic mental condition between William M. Talcott and his wife, because of her interest in the mysterious love cult of Albert J. Moore and his Life Institute, was revealed yesterday in letters found in a water-soaked bundle with Talcott's body.

Distilled because of his wife's devotion to Moore's teachings, Talcott on Tuesday weighted his pockets with stones and jumped from an excursion steamer into Lake Michigan. His body was found late Wednesday afternoon.

The letters written by Mrs. Talcott throw new light on the tragedy and affirm her deep love for her husband. The first letter, dated July 22, 1922, reads:

"My Darling Will:  
"For you are just that, and neither God nor man can make you otherwise—dear, I do love you as I never, never loved before. I am capable, and I ask to go straight into your arms any time there is an opportunity.

"In a peculiar way, which you and I will understand later, I feel that I am in your arms tight all the time, even when I am away from you physically.

"But every time, or so often, anyway, when I am just full of love for you and walk straight into your arms and heart and both of us would be happy, you repeat to me, 'I am forced to keep away.'"  
"I know I have been away from home more than I ever have until this time. But I feel that you would love me just the same and trust me, too.

# RAIN HALTS RACES AT CHESTER FAIR

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**TEAMSTER LANDS IN CELL**  
Police and Detectives Rescue Horses on Rail Embankment  
Leo Dhuie drove a double team of horses of the Franklin Sugar Refining Company over the Pennsylvania Railroad tracks up a steep incline near Richmond and Cumberland streets yesterday afternoon.

After Dhuie had driven the four horses as far as they could go, while scores of persons looked on in amazement, the police and railroad detectives took charge of the animals. They backed the horses down the incline to an embankment, and then led them through backyards to a street. Dhuie, who lives on South Lee street, was arrested, charged with drunkenness and disorderly conduct and locked up in the East Montgomery and Girard avenue station.

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# FOUR SEEK MAYORALTY

**Gloucester Candidates Register—2 Run on Each Ticket**  
Three candidates for Mayor of Gloucester City have filed their petitions with City Clerk Redfield. Another will file his petition today, so there will be two candidates on each ticket.

The candidates are David M. Anderson, the present Mayor, who is being backed for re-election by the regular Republican organization; Edward H. MacLennan, who is backed by the Independent Republicans, and Lieutenant James J. McNally, who is a candidate on the Democratic ticket.

Clayton Sagers will file a petition as a Democratic candidate today, the last day for filing petitions. Walter Craig, Charles Wilhelm and Samuel Carter filed petitions as candidates for Council along with MacLennan's petition.

**NATIONAL GUARD CHANGES**  
Nine Militia Officers Promoted by Adjutant General's Order  
Harrisburg, Sept. 1.—Announcement of a series of appointments of officers of the National Guard, with numerous promotions, has been made by Adjutant General Frank D. Rears. They include:

110th Infantry—Major John W. Woodland, Salisbury, to be lieutenant colonel; Captain William E. Pierce, adjutant, Indiana, to be major and executive officer of the 55th Infantry Brigade; First Lieutenant J. J. King, Indiana, to be captain and adjutant.

215th Artillery—Harry C. Blank, Altoona, Pa., to be captain and assigned to regimental headquarters. 107th Artillery—Harold A. Nelson, Pittsburgh, to be first lieutenant. Battery B; Orville P. Devlin, Pittsburgh, to be second lieutenant.

109th Infantry—Wynne D. Hulbert, Scranton, to be first lieutenant, headquarters company. 109th Artillery—Harry H. Ennis, Philadelphia, to be captain, and John D. Follett, Philadelphia, to be second lieutenant, Battery B.

# NEW PRO-CATHEDRAL HEAD

**The Rev. C. W. Bligham Becomes Priest in Charge Tomorrow**  
The appointment of the Rev. C. W. Bligham as priest in charge of the Pro-Cathedral of St. Mary, Broad and South streets, will take effect tomorrow. Mr. Bligham will serve as successor to Dr. George L. Richardson until a new vicar is elected.

Mr. Bligham has filled a number of pastorates over a wide territory since he was ordained in 1902. He was formerly rector of St. Philip's Protestant Episcopal Church, Forty-second street and Baltimore avenue.

**Mexican Deputy Shot Dead**  
Mexico City, Sept. 1.—(By A. P.)—Torcuato Lemus, a co-operationist deputy, was shot and killed yesterday in the Chamber of Deputies. Martin Haragan, independent member, is charged with the shooting which followed a dispute over the contested credentials of the two men as deputies from Michoacan.

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Oberon—Overture—Part 2 (Weber) Mengelberg and N. Y. Philharmonic Orchestra	74767	12	1.75	
Nocturne in B Flat (Paderewski) <i>Piano Solo</i>	Ignace Jan Paderewski	74765	12	1.75
Tannhäuser Overture—Part 3 (Wagner)	Philadelphia Orchestra	74768	12	1.75
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